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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated May 27, 2008, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims presented herewith, such listing beginning on page 2 of this response;

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.